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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:
Gordon D. Ford

Serial No.: 09/702,546

Filed: October 31, 2000

Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR
REDUCING THE EFFECT OF BLEED-
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Dear Sir:

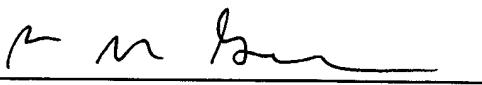
**PETITION FOR TWO MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME
TO RESPOND TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL
APPLICATION**

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) for a two month extension of time for filing a response to Notice To File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application dated January 18, 2001. The appropriate fee under 37 CFR 1.17(a) (2) is \$390.00.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of \$390.00 fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Simon, Galasso & Frantz PLC Deposit Account No. 50-1259.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,
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